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TO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY LAGOS IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY LONDON IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY OUAGADOUGOU IMMEDIATE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 096760

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP (SCHAUFEELE, WILLIAM E.)

SUBJECT: TRAVEL OF AF ASSISTANT SECRETARY SCHAFUELE  
FOLLOWING ABIDJAN COM MEETING

1. AF ASSISTANT SECRETARY SCHAUFEELE TENTATIVELY PLANS TO  
VISIT OUAGADOUGOU AND LAGOS AFTER THE COM MEETING IN  
ABIDJAN MAY 9-12. HIS TENTATIVE ONWARD TRAVEL PLANS ARE:

FRIDAY, MAY 13 0830 LEAVE ABIDJAN RK 24; 0950 ARRIVE  
OUAGADOUGOU

MONDAY, MAY 16 0540 LEAVE OUAGADOUGOU UT 867; CHANGE IN  
ABIDJAN TO WT 744; 1300 ARRIVE LAGOS

WEDNESDAY, MAY 18 2340 LEAVE LAGOS DR 364  
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THURSDAY, MAY 19 0600 ARRIVE LONDON

2. FOR OUAGADOUGOU: SCHAUFEELE WOULD APPRECIATE LIGHT  
SCHEDULE AND OPPORTUNITY EXCHANGE VIEWS WITH SENIOR  
MEMBERS VOLTAN GOVERNMENT, ESPECIALLY PRESIDENT LAMIZANA,  
AND TO SEE AGAIN OFFICIALS WHOM HE KNEW WHEN AMBASSADOR

IN OUAGADOUGOU.

3. FOR LAGOS: SCHAUFEELE WOULD APPRECIATE OPPORTUNITY TO SEE GARBA AND SUCH OTHER MEMBERS OF SMC EMBASSY BELIEVES WOULD BE HELPFUL. EMBASSY MAY SUGGEST MEETING WITH OBASANJO, BUT SHOULD NOT PRESS REQUEST.

4. FOR OUAGADOUGOU AND LAGOS: SCHAUFEELE'S PLANS ARE TENTATIVE AT PRESENT PENDING DECISIONS REGARDING OTHER CLAIMS ON HIS TIME. WE ARE INFORMING VOLTAN AND NIGERIAN EMBASSIES IN WASHINGTON OF HIS TRIP AND EMPHASIZING THAT HIS ITINERARY IS NOT YET FIRM AND MAY HAVE TO BE CANCELLED. FURTHER DETAILS WILL FOLLOW.

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